



## **PATENT**

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: QuickFlex, Inc.

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## REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Box Missing Parts Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests a two month extension of time to file a response to the Notice of Incomplete Reply dated May 17, 2001. A check in the amount of \$195 is enclosed herewith.

No additional fees are believed due. Nonetheless, should any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 be deemed necessary for any reason, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to deduct said fees from Vinson & Elkins L.L.P. Deposit Account No. 22-0365/QUI200/4-002.

Respectfully submitted,

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